Remarks

Claims 1-24 were presented for examination. In the office action mailed December 21, 2004 claims 1-20 were rejected and claims 21-24 were allowed. By this amendment claims 1-20 are canceled. The case is therefore believed to be in condition for allowance and an action to that effect is respectfully requested.

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